Raystown Lake Visitors Center

Welcome to the Raystown Lake Visitors Center!

- **Constructed in 1998**
- **20,000 visitors annually**
- **Interactive Displays**
- **Hosted by the Corps and the Huntington County Visitors Bureau**

Not Just a Building

- Hosts the offices of the US Army Corps of Engineers Raystown Lake Staff and the Huntingdon County Visitor's Bureau Staff.
- Visitors can obtain information on Raystown Lake as well as information available about the entire county.

Getting the Full Story

- Contains hands-on exhibits and wildlife displays.
- A multipurpose room is available for public viewing of numerous video presentations
- Contains an Information Center and also a Gift Shop.

Build A Dam - Hydro

- You can go through a computer simulation and build your own Dam, and see what it takes to generate electricity for nearby areas and towns.

Digging into the Past

DIGGING INTO PREHISTORIC TIMES
"AN ARCHEOLOGIST'S DREAM IN THIS PART OF THE UNITED STATES ..."
–Penn State Alumni News
"IMAGINE PUTTING YOUR HAND IN THE SOIL AND TURNING A PAGE OF HISTORY OVER."
–Melville Carl, amateur archeologist who helped discover Sheep Rock

- Learn about one of the oldest inhabited areas, Sheeprock Shelter
- See artifacts that were unearthed and hear stories about each time period in history.

Taking in the Sites

- Other exhibits include transportation, stories of the land before the dam, hear first-hand accounts of the people who caught PA State record fish on the lake.
- An interactive display that allows you to gather current weather simulations and make gate adjustments on the dam accordingly.

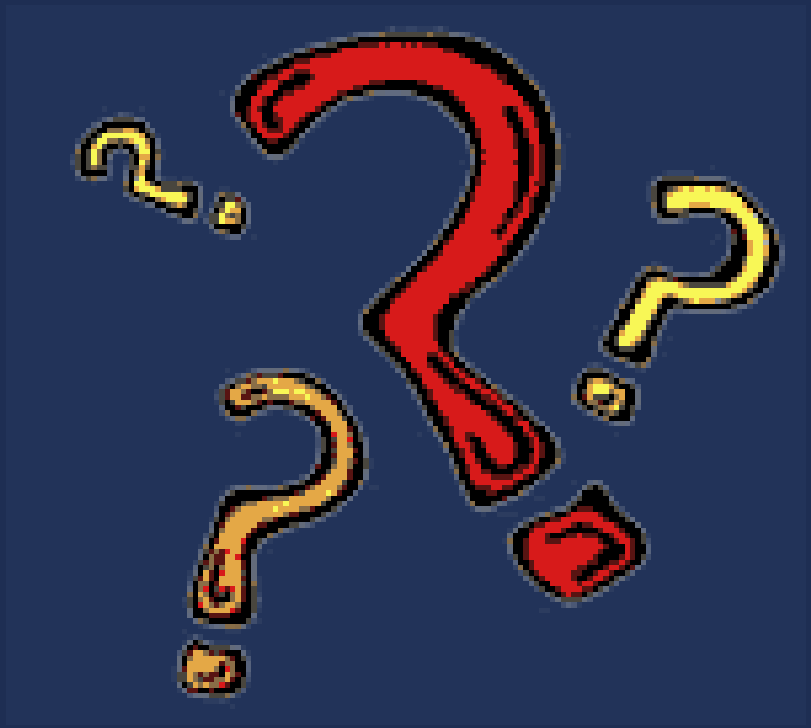
Bob Cat Display

- Numerous wildlife displays appear throughout the facility.
- See native species ranging from a 450-pound black bear to native birds and insects.

Do A Little Shopping

- Stop at the gift shop, where you can obtain souvenirs, necessities and one-of-a-kind gifts, crafts and signed prints.
- There are games and activities for children, and everything under the sun from visors to raincoats.

Or Just to Ask A Question



- The Visitors Bureau is able to provide you any area information you seek, and
- The Ranger and Resource Team offices are just downstairs to assist you.